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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: LEE MEETING WITH KISSINGER

1. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION, WHITE HOUSE PRESS SPOKESMAN  
AUGUST 5 CONFIRMED THAT PRIME MINISTER LEE MET WITH DR. KISSINGER  
AUGUST 4 FOR ABOUT AN HOUR AT NEW YORK KENNEDY AIRPORT AND  
THEY HAD GENERAL DISCUSSION OF SOUTHEAST ASIAN DEVELOPMENTS.  
SPOKESMAN, WHEN ASKED, ADDED THAT AIRPORT WAS CHOSEN SIMPLY AS  
CONVENIENT SPOT IN LIGHT OF LEE'S ATTENDANCE AT OTTAWA  
COMMONWEALTH CONFERENCE AND DR. KISSINGER'S TRAVEL TO NEW YORK.

2. QUESTIONS WERE PUT TO WHITE HOUSE SPOKESMAN FOLLOWING  
LEE'S CONFIRMATION OF MEETING AFTER HIS RETURN TO OTTAWA.  
PRESS LINE WAS AS AGREED BETWEEN LEE AND KISSINGER.

3. FYI: THRUST OF KISSINGER'S TALK WITH LEE WAS TO REASSURE  
HIM OF PRESIDENT'S DETERMINATION TO STAY IN SEA TO SUPPORT OUR  
FRIENDS IN SPITE OF CURRENT CONGRESSIONAL DIFFICULTIES. HE  
TOLD LEE WE WOULD BOLSTER GKR TO FULLEST EXTENT POSSIBLE.  
LEE WELCOMED THIS AND MADE REMARKS STRONGLY SUPPORTIVE OF  
U.S. EFFORTS AND U.S. ROLE IN SEA. END FYI. ROGERS

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